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Response Under 37 CFR 1.116
Expedited Procedure
Examining Group: 3681

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Friedrich J. EHRLINGER
Serial no. : 10/031,358
Filed : with an effective filing date of July 15, 2000
For : ELECTRODYNAMIC DRIVE TRAIN
Group Art Unit : 3681
Examiner : Sherry L. Estremsky
Docket : ZAHFRI P396US

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The Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

[XXX] A CHECK FOR THE FEES INDICATED BELOW, BASED UPON THE APPLICANT'S LARGE ENTITY STATUS, ACCOMPANIES THIS RESPONSE.	
TOTAL INDEPENDENT CLAIMS ALREADY PAID FOR <u>3</u>	
ADDITIONAL IND. CLAIMS ADDED HEREBY <u>4</u> x \$86 =	\$344
TOTAL	\$344

In response to the official action mailed August 7, 2003, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 13-16, 19 and 20, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, and amend claims 17, 18 and 21-25 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.